



Freshman Year (CSCC)

Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
ENGL 1100 Composition I [INST 1500, WI]	3	GEOG 2750 World Regional Geography [GEOG 1000]	3
MATH 1125 Concepts of Math for Teachers I	5	Intermediate Composition (DS)*	3
PSY 1100 Intro to Psychology	3	HIST 1181 or 1182 (choose one) [INST 2800]	3
EDUC 2210 Intro to Education [EDUC 1600, WI]	3	PSY 2261 Child Development [PSYC 2310]	3
COLS 1100 First Year Experience Seminar	1	MATH 1126 Concepts of Math for Teachers II [MATH 2100]^	5
Total hours		Total hours	
15		17	

Sophomore Year (CSCC)

Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
PSY 2245 Children with Exceptionalities [EDUC 2510]	3	Natural Science with Lab*	4-5
Natural Science* [INST 2400]	3-5	COMM 1105 Oral Communication [COMM 1000, DS]	3
Culture/Visual/Performing Arts [INST 2600]*	3	PHIL 1130 Ethics [PHIL 1300/INST 2200]	3
EDUC 2220 Educational Technology [EDUC 2300]	3	AA Elective: Disciplinary Skills*	3
Historical Study*	3	ECDE 1101 Early Childhood Curriculum [EDUC 2550]**	3
Total hours		Total Hours	
15-17		16-17	

*List of courses that meet this requirement can be found after notes Courses number in [brackets] is the Otterbein equivalent course.
WI=Writing Intensive; three are required for an Otterbein degree DS=Disciplinary Skills- 8-9 hours required for an Otterbein degree.

Summer Semester (Otterbein)

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EDUC 1700 Phonics & Language Study	3
Total hours	3

Junior Year (Otterbein)

Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
EDUC 2200 Educational Psychology: ECHD	3	EDUC 1200 Teaching Elem. Children- Arts	3
INST 2011/EDUC 3600 Equity Literacy	3	MATH 1210 Nature of Mathematics	3
FYS First Yr. Sem. or TYS Transfer Yr. Sem.	2-3	EDUC 3650 Elem. Language Arts Methods	3
EDUC 2600 Emergent Literacy (WI)	3	EDUC 2640 Elem. Lit. Assessment & Instr.	3
EDUC 2555 Preschool Intervention Internship	3	PHED 2200 Heath & Movement Education	3
LFW Lifestyle Fitness & Wellness	1	INST 3000 Integrative Seminar	3
Total hours		Total hours	
15-16		18	

Senior Year (Otterbein)

Autumn Semester		Spring Semester	
EDUC 2400 Soc. Studs.-Prim. & Int. Classroom	3	EDUC 4710 Student Teaching: Early Childhood	10
EDUC 2500 Science- Prim. & Int. Classroom	3	EDUC 4720 Student Teaching Seminar	2
EDUC 3200 Integrated Methods: Early Childhood	3		
EDUC 3300 Early Childhood Internship	3		
SYE Senior Year Experience	2		
Total hours		Total hours	
14		12	

- **CSCC Degree Plan:** This 2+2 Sample Plan of Study was created using the general plan of study for the Associate of Arts degree. Students who are following a specific Bachelor's Degree Transfer Major may utilize this plan for the purposes of transfer and degree planning, but should note that additional course work may be necessary to complete the Columbus State Associate of Arts/Science Bachelor's Degree Transfer Major beyond what is required by Bachelor of Science in Education, Major: Early Childhood Education at Otterbein University. Additional course work may be transferred and applied as electives or where appropriate, course work toward the major/minor at Otterbein University.
- **^MATH 1125 and 1126:** Students who complete MATH 1125 AND 1126 at Columbus State will be given credit for MATH 2100 at Otterbein, which is required for the ECE major and the AA degree. If a student completes only one of the two courses, they will be issued special credit and will need to complete MATH 2100 at Otterbein. If students have questions regarding math credit transfer, please consult your Columbus State and Otterbein academic advisors.
- ****ECDE 1101:** Students will need to speak to their Arts and Sciences Academic Advisor prior to registering for this course to secure permission to use it as an applied elective toward the Associate of Arts degree. This course will apply toward a student's ECE major at Otterbein. Students should keep in mind that this course may fill quickly, so planning ahead to register and secure permission is important. Arts and Science Academic Advisors are located in Union Hall Room 048K.
- To graduate from Otterbein, students are required to complete 50% or more of their degree at Otterbein. Otterbein requires 120 credit hours to complete the bachelor's degree.
- **Admission to Teacher Education at Otterbein:** Beyond admission to Otterbein University, there are specific requirements to be admitted to the teacher education program as noted below. Applications are reviewed every term. Files are only complete after candidates have completed EDUC 2000 at Otterbein. Applicants will be notified of the committee's action within two weeks of the decision. They may reapply if they do not qualify on the first application. Students need to contact the department for application deadlines:
 - 2.5 overall GPA for courses that appear on the Otterbein transcript
 - ACT scores of 20 or above in English and Math, OR SAT scores of 500 or above on both Critical Writing and Math, OR Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators with scores of 150 on Math and/or 162 on Writing. Scores must be sent to the Education Department at Otterbein University. Students who fail the same Praxis Core Academic Skills for Educators test three times are no longer eligible for program admission.
 - Post-evaluation 2.5 overall GPA from all institutions and Post-evaluation 2.75 GPA in teaching content area(s)
 - AYA and Multiage candidates must complete a minimum of 9 semester hours in their teaching area. Middle Childhood candidates must complete at least 9 semester hours in their teaching areas; at least one course in one of the concentration areas is part of the 9 hours.
 - Positive recommendations from persons listed below. These recommendations provide evidence of effective interpersonal relations, motivation, critical dispositions, and content knowledge for the field of teaching:
 - EDUC 2000 instructor, supervisor, and cooperating teacher(s)
 - A member of the Otterbein faculty or staff who can assess the student's critical dispositions. [Please use the Department recommendation form, which is the responsibility of the student to get, give to the individual who is writing the recommendation, and return or make sure the form is returned to the Education Department.]
 - The chairperson of the teaching area department (for AYA or Multi-Age)
 - Transfer (and post-baccalaureate) students who have completed at least 75% of their content area requirements with a content GPA of 2.75 or higher do not need approval of the content area department and may apply for admission prior to completing 9 content areas at Otterbein
 - Proficiency in written and oral communication as evidenced by performance in equivalent course work- a "C" or higher in ENGL 1100 and EDUC 2210 at CSCC, and EDUC 2000 at Otterbein. Students must also earn field ratings of 3 or higher in EDUC 2000.
 - At the discretion of the Teacher Education Committee, data collected and reported in all college-level courses; and dispositions in courses, field experiences, and on-campus interactions with university faculty, staff, and students may also be considered in the decision to admit a student to teacher education. Reports of academic misconduct, counseling reports, or other informal documentation (e.g., email from a supervisor) that suggests low level performance in courses and schools will be considered with the other documentation. This list is not inclusive.

Specific questions from students regarding admission to Teacher Education at Otterbein should be directed to the Otterbein University Education Department directly at 614-823-1214.

- **Specialized Concentration for the ECE Major** must meet the following requirements:
 1. Include a minimum of 15 semester hours of a content area beyond the basic/elementary level and could be based on a defined University minor
 2. Be defined in collaboration between the candidates and the academic advisor
 3. Be submitted with the application for admission to Teacher Education
 4. Be approved by the Education Department Chair
 5. Approved request must be submitted by the candidate to the Office of the Registrar within two semesters of graduation. Follow-up with the Chair of the Department to acquire final approval.

Suggested Courses to Complete for Otterbein's General Education Requirements and Requirements for the Associate of Arts Degree at Columbus State

Intermediate Composition

Choose one:

ENGL 2367	Composition II	ENGL 2767	Composition II: Writing About Science & Technology
ENGL 2567	Composition II: Gender & Identity		
ENGL 2667	Composition II: Working Class Identity		

Historical Study [INST 2800]

For the AA degree, students must complete two Historical Study courses. For Otterbein requirements, one course will be chosen from HIST 1181 or 1182 (INST 2800). The second course may be chosen from any other historical study course not previously completed.

HIST 1111	European History to 1648	HIST 1152	American History Since 1877
HIST 1112	European History Since 1648	HIST 2223	African American History to 1877
HIST 1151	American History to 1877	HIST 2224	African American History Since 1877

Cultures & Ideas/Visual & Performing Arts [INST 2600]

HUM 1100	Intro to the Humanities
HUM 1160	Music and Art Since 1945

Natural Science [INST 2400]

For the AA degree, students must take two science courses. At least one course must have a lab. Otterbein requires one science course from this list labeled INST 240X. Non-lab courses are indicated by italics. The second course may be completed from elsewhere on this list.

<i>ASTR 1161</i>	<i>The Solar System (INST 2403)</i>	<i>CHEM 1100</i>	<i>Chemistry and Society (INST 2400)</i>
<i>ASTR 1162</i>	<i>Stars and Galaxies (INST 2400)</i>	CHEM 1111	Elementary Chemistry I (CHEM 1100)
BIO 1107	Human Biology	CHEM 1171	General Chemistry I
BIO 1111	Intro to Biology	GEOG 1900	Weather and Climate (INST 2400)
BIO 1127	Intro to Environmental Science (ESCI 1001/INST 2400)	GEOL 1121	Physical Geology (ESCI 1010)
		<i>GEOL 1151</i>	<i>Natural Disasters (INST 2400)</i>

AA Elective: Disciplinary Skills Course

For the AA degree, students must complete 61 semester hours. For Otterbein requirements, one additional course is needed in the area of Disciplinary Skills. An elective from the list below should be chosen to meet requirements for both institutions.

Foreign Language Course from ARAB, ASL, CHIN, FREN, GERM, ITAL, JAPN, LATN, SPAN	
COMM 2200	Business Communication